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ASSISTANCE FOR EDUCATION IN HARYANA
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Haryana has sought assistance of the Central Government to expand and to improve the quality of education in various fields; and

(b) if so, the action taken/proposed to be taken thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

(a) & (b): Proposals for central assistance received from various State Governments, including Haryana Government, are considered as per the norms prescribed in the programmes being administered by the Department and suitable action is taken accordingly. During the year 1999- 2000, financial assistance of Rs. 2521.01 lakhs has been provided to the State Government of Haryana under the centrally sponsored schemes/programmes of District Primary Education Programme (DPEP), Restructuring and Reorganisation of Teacher Education, Integrated Education for Disabled Children (IEDC), Vocational Education, Adult Education and Area Intensive Programme for Educationally Backward Minorities. Besides, under the National Programme of Nutritional Support to Primary Education (Mid-day Meal Scheme), 53306 metric tonnes of foodgrains were allocated to Haryana during 1999-2000. Also, 1204 additional teachers were sanctioned in Upper Primary Schools in 6 districts of Haryana during 1999-2000 under the Operation Blackboard scheme.